

## **RFI Tinley Park MHC: Purchase of Services**

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On April 28, 2009 the Commission on Governmental Forecasting and Accountability (CGFA), voted to accept the Department of Human Services' (DHS) recommendation to close the Tinley Park Mental Health Center (TPMHC). The Department of Human Services/Division of Mental Health (DHS/DMH) intends to begin activities and actions to formalize this recommendation during Fiscal Year 2010 (July 1, 2009 - June 30, 2010). In order to achieve this goal DHS/DMH could pursue the purchase of psychiatric inpatient acute care services at inpatient hospital facilities physically located in the Region 1 South area. This area is defined as: Will, Grundy, Kankakee Counties, the following southern Cook County townships: Bloom, Bremen, Calumet, Lemont, Orland, Palos, Rich, Thornton & Worth and the South area of the city of Chicago as reflected by the following neighborhood areas South Shore, Chatham, Avalon Park, South Chicago, Burnside, Calumet Heights, Roseland, Pullman, South Deering, East Side, West Pullman, Riverdale, Hegewisch, Greater Grand Crossing, Ashburn, Auburn Gresham, Beverly, Washington Heights, Mount Greenwood and Morgan Park (approximately 67th to 75th Street) to the city border.

DHS/DMH is requesting information on your facility's / company's interest to provide services for all or portions of our projected bed capacity need of up to one hundred (100) inpatient consumers on a average daily basis. In addition, we are requesting information that would identify where and how the services would be provided by your organization and any structural modifications your organization might need to initiate or provide these services and those anticipated costs.

Respondents to this RFI that contemplate new construction in order to accommodate the needs of DHS/DMH should not assume that the state will provide a physical site or direct financing for this activity. The extent to which the State will participate in this type of activity will be solely at the discretion of the State and would be governed by State law.

**Note:** The State of Illinois is not soliciting information for financing, building or owning a replacement inpatient facility for the current TPMHC service need as part of this specific RFI.

DHS/DMH is utilizing the RFI process to access the level of interest in the project and to solicit questions and/or comments from prospective providers. DHS/DMH will likely wish to contact respondents subsequent to reviewing the submitted information received through this RFI. The purpose of these contacts would be to clarify and amplify the information contained in the response and to provide an opportunity for respondents to ask questions regarding the service needs of DHS/DMH. Responses to this RFI are due to DHS/DMH no later than **5 PM CDT**, Tuesday, **October 20**, **2009 (See Below)**. **Questions or clarifications regarding this RFI should be directed to: Michael Pelletier at 847/894-9877, or by email at MICHAEL.PELLETIER@illinois.gov**.

## **TPMHC Statistics and Information**

A brief overview of the population and services at TPMHC follows.

TPMHC admission statistics and geographic information for the period 7/1/06-10/31/08 are as follows.

	7/1/08 - 10/31/08	7/1/07 - 6/30/08	7/1/06 - 6/30/07
Admission/Transfers-in	563	1,512	1,738
Discharges/Transfers-out	576	1,501	1,754
Average Length of Service (based on discharges)	13 weeks	15 weeks	24 weeks
Median Length of Service (based on discharges)	9 weeks	9 weeks	8 weeks

Geographical Area	Percentage of Admissions
City of Chicago (South Side)	10.1%

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Suburban Cook	62.1%	
Grundy County	1.9%	
Kankakee County	4.6%	
Will County	21.3%	

The current array of services provided at TPMHC include:

- · Admissions:
- Multi-disciplinary assessment and treatment
- Medical Services
- Individual, group, and family psychotherapy
- Psychopharmacological therapy
- Psychological/neuropsychological testing
- Formalized educational services for those who qualify
- Patient and facility education
- Rehabilitation, activity and limited vocational programs
- Pharmacy services
- Hearing and speech services
- Library services
- Nutritional assessment and services
- Pastoral services
- Spirituality services
- Mental Health Court Services (Involuntary commitment issues should be an responded to in this consideration)
- Inpatient and outpatient medical/surgical services (off site, subcontracted)
- Dental services (direct and subcontracted off-site)
- Psycho-social training program
- Vocational Rehabilitative services

## Information Requested by DHS/DMH

DHS/DMH is requesting information on your facility's/ company's interest in providing service to all or part of the current TPMHC population. This includes future referrals from DHS/DMH of individuals that would have been served by TPMHC. DHS/DMH is seeking a bed capacity that could serve a projected average daily census of 100. If your facility could provide services to this population or any subset of this number please provide the following information.

Your response should consider both your current capacity that could aid DHS/DMH with the transition during fiscal year 2010 and a continuing long-term approach that would address the needs of DHS/DMH beyond June 30, 2010.

Please provide the following information.

- 1. Number of psychiatric, acute, inpatient beds (AMI) currently available, staffed and number of those beds under current license.
- 2. Are the beds proposed for this project integrated into existing units or will the TPMHC replacement beds be segregated into a wing or stand alone facility?
- 3. Would the services be provided in an existing facility or would you need to renovate or complete new construction before accepting the current TPMHC population? Explain in detail and identify any assistance you would request from the State of Illinois including Certificate of Need, if applicable.